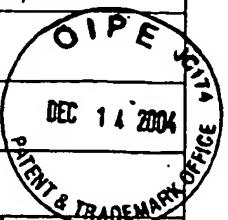


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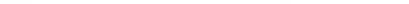
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A graph on a grid showing two downward-sloping curves. The upper curve starts at approximately (0, 1.5) and ends at (10, 0). The lower curve starts at approximately (0, 0.5) and ends at (10, 0). Both curves are concave down.

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